THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO):
(a) The working group recommended a unified law for prevention and control of drug abuse.

(b) and (c) A comprehensive legislation has recently been enacted by the Parliament. The new Act, called, the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act, 1985, has already come into force in the country with effect from 14-11-1985.

12.00 NOON

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

I. Report and Accounts (1984-85) of the Brahmaputra Board and related Papers

II. Report and Accounts (1984-85) of the Betwa River Board, Jhansi and related Papers.

III. Report and Audited Accounts (1st July, 1984 to 30th June, 1985) of the Narmada Control Authority.

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKA-RANAND): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under section 21 of the Brahmaputra Board Act, 1980 :

(i) Annual Report and Accounts of the Brahmaputra Board, for the year 1984-85, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(ii) Statement by Government accepting the above Report [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-/2021\ 86 for (i) and (ii)].

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers: I (i) Seventh Annual Report and Accounts of the Betwa River Board, Jhansi, for the year 1984-85, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts, under sub-section.

(i) of section 15 of the Betwa River Board Act, 1976.

(ii) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (i) above. [Placed in Library *See* No. LT/-2148/86 for (i) and (ii)].

III. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Annual Report and Audited Accounts of the Narmada Control Authority for the period from 1st July, 1984 to 30th June, 1985. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2147/ 86].

Report and Accounts (1984-85) of the National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI BUTA SINGH): Sir, I beg to lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers :

(i) Annual Report of the National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, for the year 1984-85.

(ii) Annual Accounts of the National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, for the year 1984-85 and the Audit Report thereon. [Placed in Library. *See* No.LT-2087/86 for (i) and (ii)]

Report and Accounts (1984-85) of the National Textile Corporation Limited, New Delhi and related Papers

The MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (RAJYA SABHA) (SHRI SITARAM KESARI) : Sir, on behalf of Shri Khur-shid Alam Khan, I beg to lay on the Table—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956 :

(i) Seventeenth Annual Report and Accounts of the National Textile Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 1984-85,